

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re application of:

Martin OFT, et al.

Application No.: 10/797,157

Filed: March 9, 2004

For: USES OF IL-23 AGONISTS AND  
ANTAGONISTS; RELATED  
REAGENTS

Examiner: D. Jiang

Art Unit: 1646

Conf. No.: 4687

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully request(s) the grant of a ONE (1) month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed August 2, 2006, in connection with the above-identified application, thus extending the time for response from November 2, 2006, to December 2, 2006.

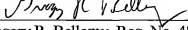
The fee for extension is calculated to be:

☒ \$120.00 (for a one-month extension under 37 CFR §1.17(a)(1))

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the requisite fee to DNAX Deposit Account 04-1239. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to DNAX Deposit Account No. 04-1239.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 1-Dec-2006

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